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In re Application of : <u>PATENT</u>

Hans J. WODOK et al. : Confirmation No. 3727

Serial No.: 10/603,671 : Docket No. 111427-00603

Filed: June 26, 2003 : Art Unit: 2833

For: CONNECTOR : Examiner: R. Luebke

## **AMENDMENT**

## MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the March 26, 2004 Office Action. A Petition for a one-month extension of time and fee therefore are filed herewith. Please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Replacement Abstract begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.